House Resolution No. 2297

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Regina Lampe Meyer of Mt. Vernon, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Ninetieth Birthday with an open house on April 29, 2004, followed by a family dinner on May 1, 2004, at the Ozark Electric Co-op Building; and

Whereas, on April 29, 1914, near Freistatt, God brought a special gift to Hermann and Delores Lampe with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Regina, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Regina Meyer will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her marriage to Erwin Meyer (deceased) and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, God has blessed Regina Meyer with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include her children, Sharon Kleine of Mt. Vernon, Delores Hogle of Kansas City, Mary Ann Daugherty of Mt. Vernon, and Betty Sawyer of Joplin; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren; and

Whereas, a loving mother and exemplary homemaker who is known for her writing, quilting, dill pickles, homemade bread, and Blitz torte, Regina Meyer has further distinguished herself as a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church, a lifelong member of Trinity Ladies Aid, and a Charter member of the Extension Club; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 90, Regina Meyer is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Regina Meyer at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution, for Regina Lampe Meyer, as a measure of our esteem for her.